



Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure Newsletter

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Kentucky Releases Ebola Tabletop Exercise

The Kentucky Department for Public Health's (KDPH) Preparedness Branch has developed a complete package of Ebola Tabletop Exercise (TTX) materials to help hospitals, public health agencies, health care organizations and coalitions with their Ebola preparedness planning. The package, titled "Kentucky Ebola Tabletop Exercise Version 2.0", should help work through the process of how to handle an Ebola patient, and to identify and address related issues.

You are encouraged to review the complete package which is hosted on the KY Hospital Association website, and to consider conducting an exercise to review and improve your processes, protocols and procedures.

The package includes the following materials:

- Situation Manual
- PowerPoint to help conduct the exercise
- Exercise Evaluation Guides
 - o Emergency Operations Coordination
 - o Information Sharing
 - o Medical Surge
 - o Responder Safety and Health
- After Action/Improvement Plan Guide
- An Agenda for conducting the exercise
- A TTX Evaluation Form
- A TTX Sign-In Sheet

The materials are in Microsoft Word or PowerPoint format so that each organization can customize the materials for their facility or organization.

If you have any questions or comments, or if any of the exercise materials require an update, please call one the KDPH HPP program team:

- Brad Learn (502) 992-4351 or via email at brad.learn@ky.gov
- Lisa Artigue (502) 564-7243, ext. 4044 or via email at lisa.artigue@ky.gov
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KHA website : <http://www.kyha.com/kentucky-public-health-ebola-tabletop-exercise/>

Board Welcomes New Members

The Board would like to welcome two new members recently appointed by Governor Beshear. Waqar A. Saleem, M.D., a Family Medicine physician practicing in Louisville, was appointed and fills the vacancy left by Asim Piracha, M.D. John J. McConnell, of Murray, was appointed to the Board as a consumer-at-large representative and fills the vacancy left by John Brewer. The Board would like to thank Dr. Piracha and Mr. Brewer for their service to the Commonwealth.

In addition to the appointments mentioned above, Governor Beshear also reappointed Russell Travis, M.D., of Lexington, and C. William Briscoe, M.D., of Corbin, to serve on the Board.

Board Orders can be viewed under the Physician Profile/
Verification of License link on the Board's website at
www.kbml.ky.gov

Board Action Report (actions taken since 07/01/14)

Mark A. Abramovich, M.D., Bardstown, KY, License # 23691
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
07/29/14.

Edith Nell Anders, L.Ac., Florence, KY, License # AC064
Agreed Order entered into 09/08/14.

Steven C. Anagnost, M.D., Tulsa, OK, License # 30470
Agreed Order entered into 08/15/14.

Bal K. Bansal, M.D., Ashland, KY, License # 22004
Amended Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction
entered into 08/11/14.

David P. Bosomworth, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 30546
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 08/13/14.

Stephen D. Burton, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 30716
Third Amended Agreed Order entered into 07/15/14.

Bienvenido A. Cabuay, M.D., Pineville, KY, License # LL532
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 09/08/14.

Robert N. Cacchione, M.D., Crestwood, KY, License # 31276
Agreed Order entered into 07/22/14.

Kim M. Callwood, M.D., Bowie, MD, License # 41267
Agreed Order entered into 07/17/14.

Timothy W. Carroll, M.D., Versailles, KY, License # 32975
Agreed Order entered into 09/30/14.

Jennifer G. Collins, M.D., Catlettsburg, KY, License # 26553
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
07/17/14.

Anthony A. DeGuzman, M.D., Paintsville, KY, License # 31110
Amended Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction
entered into 09/10/14.

Mark P. Downey, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 42541
Order Terminating Second Amended Agreed Order
issued 08/28/14.

John L. Doyle, III, M.D., Flemingsburg, KY, License # 31288
Agreed Order of Permanent Surrender entered into
07/17/14.

Julie Ann Farrell, M.D., Augusta, KY, License # 31754
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 09/15/14.

Scott R. Hamann, M.D., Nicholasville, KY, License # 32055
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
07/17/14.

James K. Holbrook, M.D., Corbin, KY, License # 27278
Amended Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered
into 07/30/14.

Alan D. Honaker, M.D., Shelbyville, KY, License # 15137
Agreed Order of Retirement entered into 09/18/14.

Brandon L. Houk, M.D., Elizabethtown, KY, License # 41925
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
08/07/14.

Joshua Kadetz, M.D., Hopkinsville, KY, License # 42223
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
08/08/14.

David M. Klipper, D.O., Portland, OR, License # 03726
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 07/10/14.

George Kudmani, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 21041
Agreed Order of Permanent Surrender entered into
07/17/14.

Howard C. Larky, D.O., Columbus, OH, License # 03144
Order Terminating Agreed Order of Probation issued
08/25/14.

Paul D. Lopreato, PA-C, Florence, KY, License # PA735
Fourth Amended Agreed Order entered into 08/26/14.

James E. Lundeen, Sr., M.D., Bloomington, IL
Order Denying Application for Licensure issued
09/26/14.

Casey L. Messer, PA-C, Gray, KY, License # PA1787
Agreed Order entered into 07/17/14.

Dennis R. Northrip, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 23287
Order Terminating Second Amended Agreed Order
issued 09/08/14.

Marcello Pietrantoni, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 29075
Agreed Order of Probation entered into 08/14/14.

Bradford A. Quatkemeyer, M.D., Ft. Mitchell, KY, License # 32259
Agreed Order entered into 07/17/14.

Chandra M. Reddy, M.D., Glasgow, KY, License # 32087
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
07/02/14.

Patricia Ann Relford, KCSA, Lexington, KY, License # SA060
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 09/17/14.

John W. Richard, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 34055
Agreed Order entered into 08/05/14.

Lawrence M. Rubens, M.D., Westerville, OH, License # 44708
Order of Revocation issued 07/21/14, effective 08/22/14.

Jonathan D. Ruby, M.D., Somerset, KY, License # 40613
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into
07/07/14.

Jonathan D. Ruby, M.D., Somerset, KY, License # 40613
Amended Agreed Order entered into 09/25/14.

David W. Schroeder, M.D., Huntsville, AL, License # 47396
Agreed Order of Fine entered into 07/09/14.

Prakash N. Shah, M.D., Hopkinsville, KY, License # 31011
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into 08/08/14.

Yunus M. Shah, M.D., Goshen, KY, License # 37825
Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction entered into 08/15/14.

Mohammad F. Shahzad, M.D., Danville, KY, License # 33429
Agreed Order entered into 08/08/14.

Raymond D. Shea, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 16187
Order Terminating Agreed Order issued 07/22/14.

Frank Gotham Simon, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 14589
Amended Agreed Order entered into 09/02/14.

Virginia R. Stokes, M.D., Louisville, KY, License # 22356
Order Terminating Agreed Order issued 07/23/14.

Roger W. Strunk, M.D., Frankfort, KY, License # 23513
Agreed Order entered into 09/10/14.

Julie C. Stumbo, PA-C, Lexington, KY, License # PA927
Amended Agreed Order (Revised) entered into 08/01/14

David W. Suetholz, M.D., Ft. Mitchell, KY, License # 18013
Order Terminating Agreed Order of Indefinite Restriction issued 08/25/14.

Himachal R. Veligandla, M.D., Somerset, KY, License # 40110
Agreed Order entered into 09/10/14.

Sam Gbutue Vorkpor, M.D., Lexington, KY, License # 44744
Order Terminating Agreed Order issued 08/25/14.

Aaron O. Williams, M.D., Ashland, KY, License # 35341
Agreed Order of Surrender entered into 07/17/14.

Restrictions have also been placed on the following physicians' licenses pending resolution of charges brought against them:

J. Dustin Chaney, D.O., Hazard, KY, License # 02795
Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Final Order issued 08/22/14.

Andrew W. Krasuski, M.D., Hazard, KY, License # 35403
Emergency Order of Suspension issued 07/01/14, effective 07/05/14.

Gregory E. Mick, D.O., Lexington, KY, License # 02503
Complaint and Emergency Order of Restriction issued 08/14/14, effective 08/15/14.

Donald F. Ramsey, M.D., Knoxville, TN, License # 32212
Emergency Order of Suspension issued 08/26/14, effective 08/27/14.

William H. Wyttenbach, M.D., Fort Myers, FL, License # 25415
Complaint and Emergency Order of Suspension issued 08/06/14, effective 08/12/14.

Collaborative Prescribing Agreement Joint Advisory Committee

During the 2014 legislative session of the Kentucky General Assembly, lawmakers passed SB 7, which created the Collaborative Prescribing Agreement Joint Advisory Committee and is made up of 6 members appointed by the Kentucky Board of Nursing and the KBML. Each licensing board has 3 appointments to the Committee.

The primary focus of this Committee is to make recommendations to the KBN and KBML about the CAPA-NS agreements and other duties assigned by the legislation. The legislation also sets out that the **Committee will assist APRNs by identifying any physicians who are available to enter into a CAPA-NS in non-emergency and emergency situations.** In order to assist in this effort, the **legislation requires that the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure provide the Committee with the names, contact information, and any fee requirements provided by the physicians to enter into the CAPA-NS.**

In an effort to facilitate this process, the Board is asking for your assistance by identifying your willingness to assist by entering into a CAPA-NS in a non-emergency or emergency situation. You can do this by simply providing your name, contact information, and any fee requirements to the Board via email to the attention of carolyn.reed@ky.gov.

Renewal of Physician Licenses for 2015

In late December, physicians holding an active license will receive a notice by mail with instructions to renew his or her license. Physicians will be able to renew their license online at www.kbml.ky.gov. To complete the renewal, physicians will be required to verify and update their unique licensure information. The fee to renew online will be \$150.00. Physicians who renew by paper will be assessed an additional \$10.00 fee. Please note the link to renew your license on the Board's website will not be available until the first week of January 2015.

Important CME Reminder

Board Regulation 201 KAR 9:310 requires all physicians maintaining a current Kentucky medical license to complete sixty (60) hours of CME every three (3) year cycle, with thirty (30) hours being certified in AMA or AOA Category I by an organization accredited by the Accreditation Council on Continuing Medical Education (CME). Please note that the current CME cycle is coming to an end on **December 31, 2014.**

The Board would like remind all licensed physicians to ensure that they obtain the appropriate continuing medical education hours to maintain compliance with this regulation. Physicians who are authorized to prescribe controlled substances in Kentucky should pay special attention to the mandated HB 1 requirement pertaining to pain management, KASPER and addiction. A detailed summary of this requirement is available in our Summer Newsletter, which is still available on our website. In addition, physicians may review a summary of the Board's CME requirements on our website. Be sure to click on the CME Schedule link on our CME information page.

DEA Rescheduling of Hydrocodone Combination Products

Effective October 6, 2014, **hydrocodone combination drugs** are now **rescheduled as Schedule II controlled substances**. This action is the result of the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) publishing the Final Rule moving hydrocodone combination products from Schedule III to the more-restrictive Schedule II, as recommended by the Assistant Secretary for Health of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and as supported by the DEA's own evaluation of relevant data. The impact on Kentucky physicians is described below. Please note that restrictions on prescribing existing Schedule II pure hydrocodone products remain under current Kentucky statutes and regulations.

Prescriptions/Refills Written Prior to the Rescheduling Effective Date

According to the DEA, hydrocodone combination prescriptions issued prior to October 6, 2014 and authorized to be filled or for refilling, may be dispensed if such dispensing occurs before April 8, 2015. Hydrocodone combination prescriptions written on or after October 6, 2014 may not be refilled.

*****Please note: A pharmacist may only refill the prescription if their pharmacy software allows it. A pharmacist may NOT rewrite the HCP as a new prescription and indicate this is a refill assigned back to the original prescription number under current state and federal laws, rules and regulations. It is our understanding that many Kentucky pharmacies do not have the software capability to refill the medication. In these situations, the pharmacy will be instructing the patient that he/she must obtain a new written prescription from their provider.

Physicians - The rescheduling will have no effect on the ability of Kentucky physicians to prescribe Schedule II hydrocodone combinations if allowed under their DEA license.

Schedule II Controlled Substance Reminders - There are no changes to the rules regarding Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions issued in Kentucky; however, here are some important reminders:

- Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions **may not be faxed or called** in to a pharmacy except as provided for in 902 KAR 55:095. Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions that are electronically prescribed must use a system that has been audited for compliance with the regulations specified in 21 CFR Part 1311.
- **No refills** are allowed by any practitioner for Schedule II controlled substances.
- Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions are valid for **60 days** from the date written.
- Controlled substance prescriptions **must be signed and dated** on the date issued by the prescriber.
- For questions regarding **writing multiple Schedule II prescriptions**, please go to the DEA Fact sheet on this subject, which is available on the DEA Diversion website:
http://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/faq/mult_rx_faq.htm.

Reminder on Mandatory KASPER Accounts

The Board would like to remind all physicians that state law requires Kentucky licensed physicians who are authorized to prescribe or dispense controlled substances in the Commonwealth to register with the enhanced Kentucky All Schedule Prescription Electronic Reporting (eKASPER) system. While the majority of Kentucky physicians have already registered with KASPER, there are still physicians who may have not done so.

According to the law, if you have a DEA number registered in Kentucky, you need to register for a KASPER account. This law applies to all physicians with a Kentucky medical or osteopathic license and are authorized to prescribe controlled substances in the Commonwealth. Reminder, to be authorized to prescribe controlled substances in Kentucky, you must have a DEA registered to an address in Kentucky. It is important to point out that according to 201 KAR 9:230, failure to register for KASPER will result in action against a physician's license. If you have not registered for your KASPER account, please do so immediately by visiting <http://chfs.ky.gov/os/oig/KASPER.htm>. Please make note KASPER registration is free and it is the law.

Training Offered on Kentucky Electronic Death Registration System

The Funeral Directors Association of Kentucky is offering Kentucky Electronic Death Registration System (EDRS) Training for medical certifiers throughout the month of November at various locations throughout the Commonwealth. This training is approved for 3 hours of Category II CME and will be presented by the Kentucky Office of Vital Statistics. The dates and locations are as follows:

Tuesday, November 4
KY Dam Village State Resort Park
Gilbertsville, KY

Wednesday, November 5
Holiday Inn University Plaza
Bowling Green, KY

Thursday, November 6
Lake Cumberland State Resort
Jamestown, KY

Friday, November 7
Pine Mountain State Resort
Pineville, KY

Tuesday, November 11
Jenny Wiley State Resort
Prestonsburg, KY

Wednesday, November 12
Radisson Hotel Cincinnati
Riverfront – Covington, KY

Thursday, November 13
Capital Plaza Hotel
Frankfort, KY

The cost of the training is \$30 for pre-registration and \$35 at the door. For more information on the training and registration, please contact (800) 866-3211 or (502) 223-0622.

Annual Report

In accordance with state statutes, the Board has submitted its annual report to the Governor outlining its activities for the past fiscal year. A copy of the full report is available at <http://kbml.ky.gov/board/Pages/Annual-Report.aspx>.

Physician Renewals and Applications:

Registered In State	11,010 (includes 560 retired physicians)
Registered Out of State	5,535
Applications Provided For Initial Licensure	1,286

New Licenses Issued:

Medical Licenses	989
Osteopathic Licenses	114
Temporary Permits	666
Residency Training Licenses	250
Institutional Practice Limited Licenses	19
Fellowship Training Limited Licenses	12
Faculty Licenses	1

Physician Assistants

Active	1,083
New	99

Athletic Trainers

Active	598
New	99

Surgical Assistants

Active	205
New	14

Acupuncturists

Active	75
New	8

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Change of Address Notice

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You may also change your address online <http://kbml.ky.gov/address/Pages/default.aspx>

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